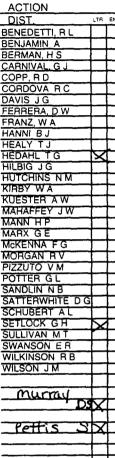
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Mr J David Holm Water Quality Control Division Colorado Department of Health 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, Colorado 80222-1530

Dear Mr Holm.

This purpose of this letter is to confirm the verbal concurrence we received from your staff Tuesday, November 9, 1993, to discharge from the Rocky Flats Plant Terminal Pond A-4 beginning on Wednesday, November 10, 1993, based on the results of both the Rocky Flats sampling and your sample analyses Because of delays in procurement of the subcontractor who handles discharges from the plant ponds, an erroneous silver result received in September, and elevated levels of water in both Ponds A-4 and B-5, we also intend to do a concurrent transfer of Pond B-5 to Pond A-4 during the Pond A-4 discharge

We have enclosed the organics, inorganics, and radionuclide analytical results we have received on the Pond A-4 and B-5 samples we split with the Department on October 26, 1993, for your review Most of these results show values below stream standards Although the Rocky Flats split sampling for metals showed a value of 87 µg/L for dissolved manganese in Pond B-5, total manganese results for both ponds were almost equivalent, and the Pond A-4 result for dissolved manganese was well below the stream standard of 50 µg/L This element is found naturally, and is not a typical metal of concern We believe there may have been an error in the analysis, and will investigate the result On the basis of discussions with your staff, it has been determined that the variance in results, and presence of this metal is not a concern for this discharge

We will keep you informed of the pond release status, any significant events that may occur affecting the pond discharge, and any new data results that we may obtain

If you have any questions or comments regarding our analysis results, please contact Al Howard at 966-5915, or Gail Hill at 966-3424

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Sincerely,

James K Hartman

Assistant Manager for Transition and Environmental Restoration

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